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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) A26996D2 (RR1334D2)	
In re Application of Daniel Nepela			
	Application Number 09/648,006	Filed	08/03/1998
	For "Methods and Compositions for Optimizing Interfacial Properties of Magnetoresistive Sensors"		
	Group Art Unit 2832	Examiner Karl D.	Easthom
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):			
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)	(1))	\$_	
✓ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))		\$_	420.
Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))		\$_	
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))		\$_	
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))			
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$  A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
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assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).			
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